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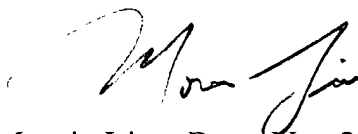
Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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